

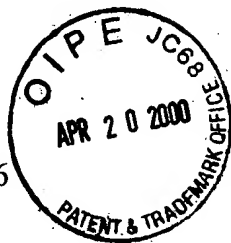
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Evans and Blumberg

Application No.: 09/458,366

Filed: December 9, 1999

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period for taking
further action in this case.

The requested extension is for one-month, extending the period to May 2, 2000.

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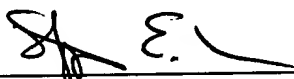
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Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$585.00; \$345.00 to cover the filing fee, \$65.00 for the surcharge fee for missing parts of the application, \$120.00 to cover the recordation fee for three (3) assignments and \$55.00 for a one (1) month extension of time fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees associated with the filing submitted herewith or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1895. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 4/17/00



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